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SUBJECT: SWAROVSKI EXCON CASE

REFS: A) STATE 231720, B) VIENNA 7750

1. IN ACCORD REF A, WE BRIEFED KREISKY SEPTEMBER 22 ON FACTS
OF CASE AND ON STATUS OF JUDICIAL PROCEEDINGS CONCERNING CASE.

2. IN COURSE OF DISCUSSION OF CASE KREISKY INSTRUCTED AIDE
TO MAKE DETAILED CHECK WITH MINISTRY OF TRADE CONCERNING
SWAROVSKI TRADE DEALINGS WITH USSR SINCE, AS CHANCELLOR
RECALLED, THERE WAS QUESTION FROM AUSTRIAN SIDE OF NATURE
OF TRANSACTION SWAROVSKI HAD BEEN WORKING ON WITH SOVIET
REPRESENTATIVES.

3. RE PARA 3 REF A, KREISKY SPECULATED THAT IT PROBABLY
WAS AWKWARD WAY OF SAYING THAT DRAFT HAD BEEN CHECKED OUT
WITH SWAROVSKI'S LAWYERS IN U.S.

4. AT END OF DISCUSSION CHANCELLOR EXPRESSED HIS
APPRECIATION FOR PROMPT AND HELPFUL INFORMATION
PROVIDED HIM, REITERATED HIS EARLIER INTEREST IN CASE
AS BEING THAT OF "PRIVATE INDIVIDUAL" AND STATED THAT

HE DID NOT PLAN ANY FURTHER INITIATIVES VIS-A-VIS
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